

House File 776 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT
OVERSIGHT

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 254)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to fire safety standards and children's
2 residential facilities.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. STATE FIRE MARSHAL RULES — CHILDREN'S
2 RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES. The state fire marshal shall
3 adopt fire safety rules pursuant to chapter 17A to exempt
4 children's residential facilities certified pursuant to
5 chapter 237C that are college preparatory boarding and day
6 high schools established in 1890 from the international fire
7 code regulations and to provide for an inspection fee of not
8 more than one hundred dollars for such facilities. The state
9 fire marshal shall, in collaboration with the department of
10 human services, the department of inspections and appeals, and
11 other appropriate agencies, take into consideration the size,
12 nature, and purpose of children's residential facilities in
13 promulgating such rules.

14 EXPLANATION

15 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
16 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

17 This bill directs the state fire marshal to adopt fire safety
18 rules to exempt children's residential facilities certified
19 pursuant to Code chapter 237C that are college preparatory
20 boarding and day high schools established in 1890 from the
21 international fire code regulations and to provide for an
22 inspection fee of not more than \$100 for such facilities.
23 The state fire marshal is directed to collaborate with the
24 department of human services, the department of inspections and
25 appeals, and other appropriate agencies and is required to take
26 into consideration the size, nature, and purpose of children's
27 residential facilities in promulgating such rules.